

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY

THE STATE

It is rumored that there will be a lively fight between the Skinnerites and the Butlerites of the populist state committee at its meeting in Raleigh tomorrow.

DOMESTIC

Ex-Justice Samuel McGowan, of South Carolina, died yesterday. The comptroller of the currency declares dividends in favor of creditors of the failed national bank.

FOREIGN

Senor Canovas del Castillo, the prime minister of Spain, was assassinated at Santa Agueda.

CANOVAS ASSASSINATED.

SPAIN'S PRIME MINISTER KILLED BY ORDER OF ANARCHISTS.

To Avenge the Execution of Barcelona. Anarchists—Three Shots Fired by the Assassin, Causing Death in a Short While. The Murderer Captured—Secretary Sherman and Senator Sherman Speak of the Consequences Likely to Follow.

Madrid, August 8.—Senor Canovas Del Castillo, the prime minister of Spain, was assassinated today at Santa Agueda by an anarchist.

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FIRE AT HIM POINT BLANK.

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ASSASSIN ALMOST LYNCHED.

Several medical men and Senor Canovas' wife were unreluctantly brought to his attention to the sufferer, but his wounds, unhappily were mortal.

It was at first rumored that the assassin was one of the paroled Barcelona anarchists, but this is not confirmed.

PILLAR OF CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCHY.

A short time before the revolution of 1868 he became especially conspicuous as one of the last to defend with energy the principles of the monarchy.

LAST ENTRANCE INTO POWER.

Canovas came last into power February 7, 1884. A number of officials had broken into and pillaged the offices of various newspapers which had made indignities against the conduct of leaders engaged in suppressing the Cuban revolt.

HIS RECENT RESIGNATION.

The government was defeated on a vote of confidence in 1886, when Canovas did not resign. The general election of April, 1890, returned an overwhelming majority in favor of the liberals.

AN AMERICAN CAPTURED IN STATE.

Washington, August 9.—The state department has been advised that Ira C. Farley, traveling in Cuba for a New York cigarette company, was captured by the Cuban forces.

TOPEKA, KAN., AUGUST 9.—The long threatened clash between the United States and the state of Kansas came today.

The United States and Kansas are in a similar position and any quarrel between the United States and England on this score would probably involve those two nations.

INTERNATIONAL CHAMPION RUNNING RACE.

London, August 9.—At Stamford Bridge today the second of the series of three races between Charles Kilpatrick, the American champion runner and E. C. Bredin, the English champion, was decided in favor of Bredin.

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A LIVELY ROW

At the Populist State Committee Meeting Anticipated—Efforts to Bring About Reconciliation Between Russell and Pritchard—Sanctificationists to be Indicted.

(Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., August 9.—Rumors are afloat tonight that there may be a lively time Wednesday at the meeting of the populist state committee here.

The old conflict, the irrepressible conflict between Butler and Skinner, comes up in a new form. This is in the shape of opposition to W. E. Fountain, state chairman.

It is asserted that the Skinnerites on the committee are Skinner and Theophilus White, A. S. Peace, Amos, A. D. K. Willis, Hamrick and R. A. Cobb.

It is said here that earnest efforts are being made to get Russell and Pritchard reconciled. The Grant and Russell reconciliation is evidently incomplete.

SEVERE CRITICISMS.

The Press of London Have Some Pretty Hard Things to Say About our Secretary of State.

London, August 9.—Commenting on the interview of The New York World with Secretary Sherman, The St. James Gazette this afternoon says: "Secretary Sherman's utterances afford no material for denial by his friends."

CONFLICT BETWEEN STATE AND FEDERAL AUTHORITY.

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MORE MINES CLOSED.

ALL MEN IN TWO WEST VIRGINIA MINES JOIN THE STRIKE.

The De Armit Mines Still the Subject of Contention—To Test the Force of the Injunctions by Holding Meetings—The Marching to be Kept Up—Numerous Applications at Headquarters for Food.

Pittsburg, August 9.—Appeals for food and provisions were numerous at the headquarters of the miners' officials in this town today.

A series of meetings are to be held all over the district. It is expected to keep the march going on some day next week.

President Dolan issued a call today for a meeting of all the miners at Cambridge Wednesday morning. It is expected that the meeting will be held at Cambridge.

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